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Managing Director

July 12, 1979

Admiral Stansfield Turner, USN
The Director of Central Intelligence
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Admiral Turner:

The Academy is deeply appreciative of your recent acceptance of our invitation to serve as a Co-Chairman of the Golden Plate Awards Council...along with Olivia de Havilland, Dr. Michael E DeBakey, Judge John J. Sirica, General David C. Jones, and Judge William H. Webster.

As soon as our new letterheads are delivered by our engravers, we will create letters of invitation to other members of the Awards Council -- for signature by the six Co-Chairmen -- in connection with their re-joining us at the 1980 Salute to Excellence weekend at Chicago...which is planned to open on Friday evening, July 18, and culminate with the Banquet of the Golden Plate on Saturday evening, July 19.

Thank you again for your support and cooperation...and we suggest that you mark your calendar for our 19th annual "gathering of the greats."

With best regards,

Wayne R. Reynolds
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